

FLP-M-7
12 March 1956

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN LANGUAGE PUBLICATIONS

Minutes of Meeting Held in East Building
Conference Room on 12 March 1956 at
2:00 p.m.

Present:

Members

Mr. George A. Pope, Department of State
Capt. Frank C. Acker, ONI
Maj. O. H. Mickelson, USAF
Lt. Cmdr. Robert C. Gardemal, JCS
25X1A Mr. [REDACTED]
Dr. Edward J. Carroll, USIA
Mr. Richard Bauer, ACSI
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Observers

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Approval of Minutes

1. Action: The minutes of the meeting of 15 March 1955, as amended 24 March 1955, were approved. (FLP-M-6)

Third Annual Report of the Committee

2. Discussed some wording changes for clarification in the draft report.

3. Action: With reference to the action item in paragraph 5 of FLP-M-6, as amended, the Committee agreed that the report of the Chairman, Exploitation Subcommittee, on the central translation service survey be included as an accomplishment of 1955.

4. Action: The utilization of the overseas resources of USIA in providing information on the availability of foreign language materials was considered to be an accomplishment worthy of reporting to the IAC. A paragraph drafted by the USIA representative was inserted in the annual

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report.

5. Action: The guarantee of the Department of State for the reestablishment of the PPO positions at least in Cairo and London beginning in FY 57 was added as an accomplishment of the year.


Notation of Annual Reports of the Subcommittees

6. Action: Noted annual reports of the Subcommittees on Procurement, Exploitation, and Reference.

7. Action: The Advisory Committee approved the restatement of the objectives of the Exploitation Subcommittee submitted as part of the annual report of the subcommittee without change.

8. The Chairman expressed the appreciation of the Committee to Capt. Frank C. Acker, USN, for his contribution to the successful operation of the Committee. Capt. Acker has been reassigned by the U.S. Navy.

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Chairman